GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Tribal Welfare Department – Fairs and Festivals – Organizing the **"Sri Sri Sri Modakondamma Talli Jatara"** at Paderu, Visakhapatnam District, on 6th, 7th & 8th of May, 2018 as State Festival & administrative sanction – Orders – Issued.

SOCIAL WELFARE (TW.OP.COORDN) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 151 **Dated: 02-05-2018**
Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.53 Tribal Welfare(OP.Coordn)Department, Dated:28.04.2016.
2. From Smt.G.Eswari, Member of Assembly and Chairperson of "Sri Sri Sri Modakondamma Talli Utsava Committee", Paderu, Visakhapatnam District, Letter Dated: 15.03.2018.
3. From the Director, Tribal Welfare, A.P.Vijayawada, Lr.Rc.No.SW03-11021/5/2018-AD3-COTW, Dated:25.04.2018.

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ORDER:

In the reference 2nd read above, Smt.Giddi .Eswari, MLA, Paderu has stated that "**Sri Sri Sri Modakondamma Talli Jatara"** festival being held on the 6th , 7th & 8th of May,2018 at Paderu, Visakhapatnam District attracts large number of devotees not only from the Vishakhapatnam agency areas but also from all North Andhra Districts & has requested to accord sanction for an amount of Rs.1.00 Cr to organize the Festival in a grand manner i.e., Rs.50.00 Lakhs for the Alaya Committee & the remaining Rs.50.00 Lakhs to the Project Officer, Integrated Tribal Development Authority (ITDA), Paderu.

2. In the reference 3rd read above, the Director of Tribal Welfare has stated that an amount of Rs.1.00 Crore is allocated to the Culture Affairs Department in the B.E. of the S.T.Component for the year 2018-2019. He has further stated that as the cost has escalated and as represented by MLA, Paderu and the Project Officer, ITDA, Paderu the amount may be increased from Rs.50 lakhs last year to Rs.1.00 Crore this year for the conduct of Sri Sri Sri Modakondamma Talli Jathara as State Festival.

3. Keeping in view the cultural heritage & enduring traditions of oral literature, music, dance & other folk forms prevailing in the tribal areas of Andhra Pradesh, Government, vide the reference 1st read above, have declared the "**Sri Sri Sri Modakondamma Talli Jatara"** as State Festival.

4. After careful examination of the proposal of the Director of Tribal Welfare in the reference 3rd cited, Government hereby accords administrative sanction to incur an expenditure of Rs.1.00 crore (Rupees one crore only) from the S.T. Component funds in B.E. 2018-19, towards the conduct of the State Festival "**Sri Sri Sri Modakondamma Talli Jatara"**, to be held at Paderu, Visakhapatnam District on the 6th, 7th & 8th of May, 2018.

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5. The Director, Tribal Welfare, A.P. Vijayawada, the Director, Culture, Youth Advancement, Government of Andhra Pradesh and Collector & District Magistrate, Visakhapatnam, are directed to take up further action for organizing the **"Sri Sri Sri Modakondamma Talli Jatathara"** at Paderu , Visakhapatnam District from 6th 7th & 8th of May, 2018 in a grand manner.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

SHAMSHER SINGH RAWAT
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (TW)

To
The Director of Tribal Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Director of Culture, Govt. of A.P, Vijayawada.
The Collector & District Magistrate, Visakhapatnam.
The Project Officer, ITDA, Paderu, Visakhapatnam District.
Copy to:

The P.S to the Hon'ble Minister (SWE&TWE).
The P.S to Principal Secretary, Youth Advancement, Tourism & Culture Department.
The P.S. to Principal Secretary to Government (TW).
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SECTION OFFICER